

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of)
Satoshi SEO et al.)
Serial No.: 10/590,041)
Filed: August 18, 2006)
For: Light Emitting Device)
Art Unit: 2815)
Examiner: Jerome Jackson, Jr.)
Confirmation No.: 4399)

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE (F) TO FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Applicants have the following response to the Final Rejection dated April 11, 2011.

Claim Rejections – 35 USC 102/103

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner continues to reject Claims 1-3 and 7-16 under 35 USC §102(b) as anticipated, or in the alternative, under 35 USC §103(a) as obvious over Kido (Kido et al. (US 2003/0189401)). This rejection is respectfully traversed.

More specifically, independent Claims 1 and 17 recite the features of a plurality of light emitting units are stacked between a pair of electrodes and each of the plurality of light emitting units comprise a light emitting layer and a mixed layer comprising an organic compound and a metal oxide.